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For : ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES WHICH
ENCODE A SOLUBLE IL-TIF RECEPTOR OR BINDING
PROTEIN WHICH BIND TO IL-TIF/IL-22, AND USES
THEREOF
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LETTER

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Respectfully submitted,

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Title: Isolated nucleic acid molecules which encode a soluble IL-TIF receptor or binding protein which binds to IL-TIF/IL-22, and uses thereof

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